

Exhibit No. 30Date 3-29-07Amendments to House Bill No. 820 Bill No. HB 820
Committee Study Bill

Requested by Senator Keith Bales

For the Senate Finance and Claims Committee

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1. Page C-1, line 8.

Strike: "4,624,800 4,671,412" [state special revenue FY08 and
FY09]**Insert:** "4,707,744 4,754,356" [state special revenue FY08 and
FY09]

2. Page C-2.

Following: line 12**Insert:** "Fisheries Division includes funding for the department
to work with interested parties to provide a funding plan
for the 2011 biennium for the Fort Peck fish hatchery to the
environmental quality council by September 2008."

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Explanation - This amendment adds \$82,944 of state special revenue each year of the biennium for a biennial total of \$165,988 to the Fisheries Division of Fish, Wildlife and Parks to restore the base funding for the Fort Peck fish hatchery. Corresponding language directs the department to establish a funding plan for the next biennium as revenues from the warm water fish stamp will be insufficient to continue to operate the hatchery at full capacity.